

CALVIN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

2597 Bourquin Crescent East, Abbotsford B.C. V2S 1Y6

7th Sunday after the Epiphany

February 20, 2011 9:15 a.m.

Prelude	Veronika Klassen	
Welcome	Sharing the congregational life	
*Song	<i>Here I am to worship</i>	
Call to worship	Adapted from Psalms 149 and 150	
*Psalm	<i>Sing a new song unto the Lord</i>	
*Prayers of adoration and confession		
*Songs	<i>Waves of grace</i> <i>Hosanna</i> <i>One way</i>	
Story time	The more we get together, the happier we'll be Rebecca Simpson	
Musical interlude	Kid Connect - Preschool to Grade 6	
Responsive Reading	Psalm 46 (NRSV) p. 517 (p. 784 large print) ~ Marilyn Ingram	
*Psalm	<i>Be still and know that I am God</i>	
Scripture Reading	Hebrews 10: 1-25 (NRSV) p. 224 (p. 321 large print)	
Message	Meeting together Rebecca Simpson	
*Song	<i>I, the Lord of sea and sky</i>	#592
Prayer of thanksgiving and intercession	followed by the Lord's Prayer (in unison)[sins/sin against us]	
Offering - Offertory		
*Doxology	<i>Alleluia, alleluia, give thanks</i>	
Prayer		
*Song	<i>We are one in the Spirit</i>	
*Benediction	<i>Let there be love</i>	
*Postlude	Veronika Klassen	
	<i>*Please stand or sit, as you are able</i>	

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Welcome	Sharing the congregational life

WE WORSHIP GOD IN PRAISE

Call to worship	Praise the Lord! Sing to the Lord a new song, His praise in the assembly of the faithful. Let us be glad in our Maker: Let the children of God rejoice in their King. Let everything that breathes praise the Lord! ~Adapted from Psalms 149 and 150	
*Hymn	<i>Praise to the Lord, the Almighty</i>	#321
*Prayers of adoration and confession		
Choir	This is the Day - by Jay Althouse	

WE WORSHIP GOD IN LISTENING

Story time	The more we get together, the happier we'll be Rebecca Simpson	
*Hymn	<i>We are God's people</i>	#472
Responsive Reading	Psalm 46 (NRSV) p. 517 (p. 784 large print) ~ Nina Racine	
*Hymn	<i>A mighty fortress is our God</i>	#315
Scripture Reading	Hebrews 10: 1-25 (NRSV) p. 224 (p. 321 large print)	
Message	Meeting together Rebecca Simpson	

WE WORSHIP GOD IN RESPONSE

*Song	<i>I, the Lord of sea and sky</i>	#592
Prayer of thanksgiving and intercession	followed by the Lord's Prayer (in unison)[sins/sin against us]	
Offering - Offertory		
*Doxology - Prayer	<i>Praise God from whom all blessings flow</i>	#830
*Song	<i>We are one in the Spirit</i>	#471
*Benediction	<i>Threefold Amen</i>	#780
*Postlude	Veronika Klassen	
	<i>*Please stand or sit, as you are able</i>	

TODAY

Pastor Hans is away on a study leave until Tuesday February 22. Rebecca Simpson, Camp Douglas Director, will be leading us in worship this morning. If you have any emergency pastoral care concerns, please call the Rev. Bob Garvin at 604-462-0858 or email him at garvins@telus.net

The **Annual Reports** are ready for pick up today. Please mark your calendar for the **Annual General Meeting** next week at 11 am. If you have any questions or would like clarification on anything in the financial reporting of the annual report, please call Cathy Thomson at 604-855-1180 or email her at cthompson2@shaw.ca, prior to the meeting. A detailed financial report is available in the church office, if you wish to have a copy.

THIS WEEK

MONDAY - FEBRUARY 21

9:30 am Calvin Clappers handbells practice in the worship area
7 pm Ladies Bible Study at Bernice Lapworth's home
#13-2510 Ware Street (604-852-6067), studying "The Remarkable Women of the Bible" by Elizabeth George.
Join us!

TUESDAY - FEBRUARY 22

10:30 am-12:30 pm Ladies Bible Study at Margaret Allan's home -
3719 Nootka Street, Abbotsford - 604-853-6623
"Fully Devoted - Living each day in Jesus' name". Join us!
6:30 - 9 pm Downtown Street Ministry - lower meeting hall
Carole Sookdeo, Coordinator (604-852-3171)

WEDNESDAY - FEBRUARY 23

10 am Friends and Coffee Social meet in the lower meeting hall.
All welcome! Bring a friend!

THURSDAY - FEBRUARY 24

10 am Pastor Hans' Bible study in the upper meeting room.
7:30 pm Choir practice in the worship area

FRIDAY - FEBRUARY 25

Youth Group - Jordan Kiss has invited us to attend an **Abbotsford Heat Hockey Game**. He performed a drumline solo for us this past week and his entire drumline will be performing at the break during the Heat Game. Tickets are \$21.00. Jordan needs the money **today**. If you would like to attend, please see **Sarah Smith** (parents are welcome to attend also!)

COMING EVENTS

SUNDAY - FEBRUARY 27

9:15 am One worship service only!
11 am Annual General Meeting. The minutes of last year's meeting are posted on the bulletin boards. If you wish your own copy, please contact the office.

FRIDAY - MARCH 4

2 pm The city of Abbotsford will be celebrating the **World Day of Prayer at Trinity Christian Reformed Church**, on the corner of Trethewey and Maclure. The women of Chile invite us to reflect on the many gifts that God has given us and our call to share those gifts. Join with them in the World day of Prayer Celebration as we ask the question that draws us into the Bible, into the real context of Chilean lives and communities. There are several steps we will take together as we address the question asked in the theme: "**How many Loaves Have You?**"

SATURDAY - MARCH 5

8:30 am - 4 pm
The **Mission Committee** of the **Westminster Presbytery** invites you to "**Comings and Goings: The Rhythms of a Missional Congregation**" at Coquitlam Presbyterian Church - 948 Como Lake Avenue Coquitlam, BC. Cost is \$20 paid at the door. Please register online at <http://www.westminpresby.ca/?p=340>. For details, go to <http://www.westminpresby.ca/docs/missionevent2011.pdf>

EASTER SUNDAY - APRIL 24: is our next **reception of new members**. Those wishing to join Calvin Church either by profession of faith or reaffirmation of faith, or transfer of membership from another church, please contact Pastor Hans.

NOTES

It is with sadness we report the death of **Gordon Calderwood**, father of **Kathy (Grant) Ball** and grandfather to **Adam, Greg and Alison**, on Saturday, February 12. Funeral arrangements are tentatively planned for Saturday, February 26 at 2 pm at Kerrisdale Presbyterian Church, where Gordon was a long time elder.



Camp Douglas is the place to be this summer! Camp provides a safe and challenging program in a Christ-centred environment helping to develop an appreciation of God's creation. **Join us!**
Brochures in the front entrance or sign up online at www.campdouglas.ca

Congratulations to the Youth Group who raised a \$903.70 plus \$150 from a previous donation for a grand total of **\$1053.70**. **Thank you** to all who helped us achieve this goal to continue our sponsorship of **Emmanuel in Rwanda!**

Prayer request from Jacquie Scott for two of her children, Sarah and Alex, as they travel in the coming weeks and months:

Sarah applied and was selected for an Internship in Washington, DC starting September 1st. She will get appointed to a specific task later on. She is desiring to be in international relations or in the Department of Defence. Also, this summer, she is going on an Internship in Latvia in Northern Europe. Her email is sarah.jacqueline.scott@gmail.com She is completing her 4th year at University of Alberta. Following her internship in Washington, DC she will graduate. Her major is Political Science.

Alex is going to Brazil for 3 weeks beginning March 5th. He will be staying with his great Aunt and Uncle. They live in Rio de Janeiro.

Please pray for safe travel and safety during their time away from home.

Danica Denomme-Sime, daughter of **Leeta York and Stephen Denomme**, is in need of meals to help her get through the next few weeks. She is feeling very exhausted after the birth of her second baby. She lives in Burnaby. There are two adults, three children (aged 4, 12 and 14) and the baby. Frozen meals would work best, placed in foil pans so that return of personal pans is not required. Please call **Leeta (604-853-9102)** if you are able to provide a meal and she will bring it to Danica to put in her freezer. Thank you.

Thank you to all those who contributed used stamps for the Canadian Bible Society. **What a terrific response!** Keep them coming. Pat Davis

The spring edition of the **Calvin Chat** is scheduled for **March 13th**. Any submissions you might have should be forwarded to me by the end of February. **Ministry Team Leaders** - if you could give me a brief run down on your particular group or activity, that will be great. I would appreciate submissions to be electronic copy. Thank you, **Peter Rigden**. (peter.rigden@gmail.com)



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WELCOME

to all who are spiritually weary and seek rest;
to all who sin and need a Saviour;
to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness;
to all who struggle and desire victory;
to all who mourn and long for comfort;
to all who are new and want fellowship;
to all who come,
Calvin Church opens wide its doors and offers welcome
in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

If you are a visitor, or would like a visit, please let us know of your presence or any request on a blue welcome card, and place it on the offering plate. *Thank you.*

PRAYER in preparation for the services held in Pastor Hans’ office at 9:00 am.

The **GREETERS** at the 9:15 service are **LeAnn and Kevin Poland** and **Grant and Ann Caseby** at the 11 am service. Thank you to **Ron Smith** and **Ken Baker** for taking care of our building security.

Large-print copies of our **HYMNBOOK, BIBLES (NRSV)** and **SONGS OF PRAISE** may be picked up from the shelf at the back of the worship space, and **HEARING ASSISTANCE HEADSETS** from their pocket in the entry hall. Please return them after each service. Thank you!

The **flowers** today are provided by **Richard and Philippa Hay** to celebrate the birth of their new granddaughter **Lynessa Elle Hay**, with their loving prayers from **Granny & Grandad**.

We invite **EVERYONE** to gather downstairs between the services for **REFRESHMENTS** prepared by **Derrick and Susan Dick**.